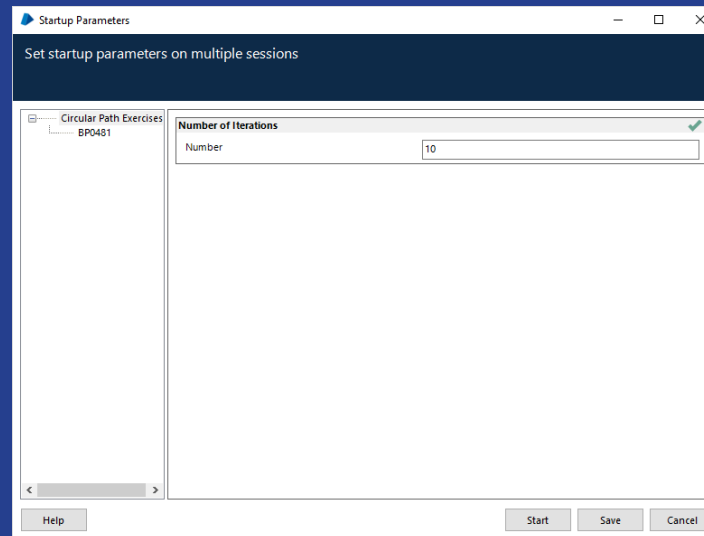# 4.1 Input Parameters

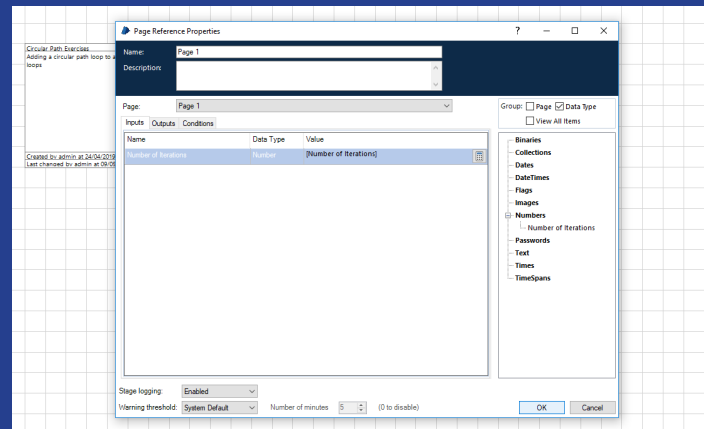**blueprism®**

Input Parameters

- When a Process steps from a Page down into a Sub-Page, a value can be passed down to be used by the Sub-Page to perform a task.

- Values that can be transmitted down through Layers of Logic in this way, are known as 'Input Parameters'.

- The use of these enable more efficient distribution of tasks across multiple Sub-Pages, making Processes easier to maintain and keeping everything clear and more intelligible to others.

- Before a Process begins any of its tasks, it is possible to transmit an external value to the Start Stage on the Main Page, to determine how the Process should flow. This is performed by a special kind of Input Parameter, known as a 'StartUp Parameter'.
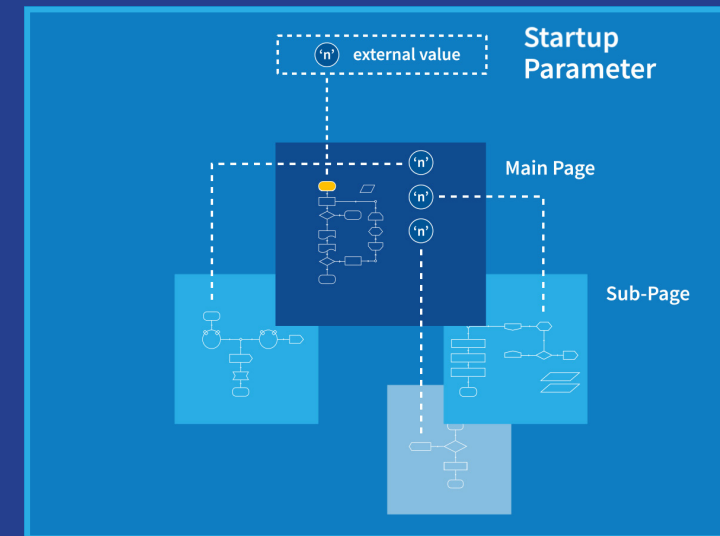
Key Point

- Page Reference Stages transmit values to the Start Stages on lower Pages.
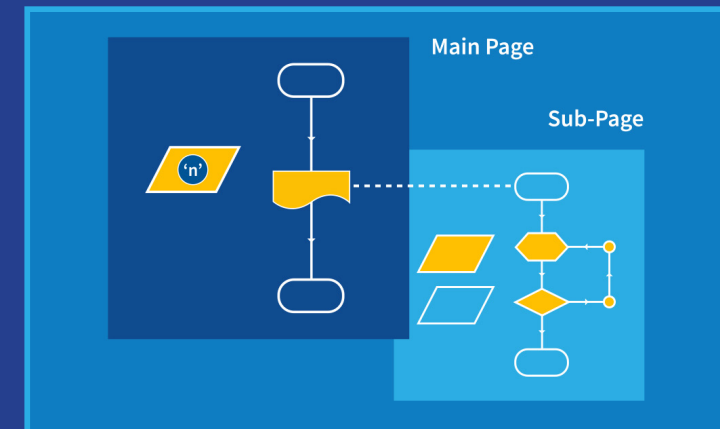

Start Stage properties window.

Page Reference Stage properties window.

Startup Parameter transmitting an external value into the Process.

Input Parameter transmitting value between the Pages within a Process.